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**RESPONSE TO THE NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

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This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed on March 19, 2002 and setting a period for response expiring on May 19, 2002.

The Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 states that the following items must be furnished within the time period set forth in said Notification in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or Declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by International application number and international filing date;
- Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).

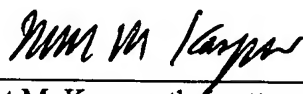
In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371, the applicants have acted in regard of the missing requirements and have filed the Declaration for Patent Application, German Language Declaration on January 14, 2001 accompanied the late fee of \$65.00 for filing the oath or declaration (37 CFR 1.27). Photocopies of said documents as filed on January 14, 2001, are enclosed herewith.

A copy of the returned postcard stamped by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 11, 2002 is enclosed with the present response.

A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed on March 19, 2002 is enclosed as well.

Respectfully submitted,

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